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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 6265

BILL NUMBER: SB 50

DATE PREPARED: May 1, 2001

BILL AMENDED: Apr 29, 2001

SUBJECT: Annual Review of First Steps Program.

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FUNDS AFFECTED: X GENERAL
DEDICATED
FEDERAL

IMPACT: State

Summary of Legislation: (CCR Amended) This bill requires the Commission on Mental Retardation and Developmental Disabilities to annually review the Infants and Toddlers with Disabilities Program (commonly known as the "First Steps" program). (The introduced version of this bill was prepared by the Indiana Commission on Mental Retardation and Developmental Disabilities.)

Effective Date: (CCR Amended) July 1, 2001.

Explanation of State Expenditures: (Revised) The bill adds the annual review of the First Steps Program to the list of duties assigned to the Indiana Commission on Mental Retardation and Developmental Disabilities. This additional review responsibility can be accomplished within the level of funding currently available for the Commission.

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected: Family and Social Services Administration, Division of Disabilities, Aging, and Rehabilitative Services.

Local Agencies Affected:

Information Sources: Susan Preble, Legislative Liaison for the Family and Social Services Administration.